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RE: United_States v. Lee

Crim. Case No. 4:05-CR-1124
The Honorable Terry I. Woote

The Honorable Terry L. Wooten

Dear Clerk,

I am an indigent pro se inmate, and have no knowledge or understanding of the law. The reason that I am writing to you today is because I was recently made aware that, pursuant to the en banc decision of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals in Simmons, I am entitled to relief for being oversentenced.

Under 18 U.S.C. §3006A(a)(2)(B), whenever a court determines that "the interests of justice so require," it can provide representation to any financially eligible person who is seeking relief pursuant to §2255.

As an illiterate, indigent inmate, I believe that I meet that requirement, and formally request appointment of counsel to file a brief on my behalf to afford me <u>Simmons</u> relief. Also, I ask for a copy of my "docket sheet" to be sent at your earliest convenience.

I thank you in advance for your time and assistance in this